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### REPUBLICAN TICKET.

STATE.  
For Justices of the Supreme Court:  
JOHN B. BARNES.  
JACOB FAWCETT.  
SAMUEL H. SEDGWICK.

For Regents of the State University:  
CHARLES S. ALLEN.  
W. G. WHITMORE.

For Regent of the State University:  
(To Fill Vacancy)  
FRANK L. HALLER.

### COUNTY.

For County Clerk:  
W. L. ROSS.

For County Treasurer:  
W. J. MANNING.

For County Sheriff:  
J. P. ROCKWELL.

For County Judge:  
D. C. STINSON.

For Clerk District Court:  
GEORGE WILKINS.

For County Superintendent:  
WILFRED E. VOSS.

For County Coroner:  
B. F. SAWYER.

For County Commissioner, 2d District:  
THOS. LONG.

For County Commissioner, 3d District:  
(To Fill Vacancy)  
J. H. BONDERSON.

That W. J. Manning is entitled to a  
re-election as county treasurer goes  
without a word of dissent. There is  
no better or more painstaking official  
anywhere than W. J. Manning.

It isn't much a matter of politics  
in the present campaign in Dakota  
county as it is in principle. You can  
take your choice of voting with the  
lawabiding element that is making the  
fight against the offshoots of Sioux  
City, who are trying to gain a foothold  
in Dakota county again, or you can  
vote with them, as they have started  
their crusade and are sparing neither  
money nor effort to win out.

It isn't always good policy to trade  
horses in the middle of a storm, nei-  
ther would it be the best policy to turn  
down a county officer like W. L. Ross,  
the republican nominee for county clerk,  
who has had experience in looking  
after the welfare of the county, for a  
man who is practically unknown in the  
county and who has had no experience  
in that line of work whatever. The  
voters should consider this matter thor-  
oughly and vote for their best inter-  
ests.

J. P. Rockwell, republican nominee  
for sheriff, is no stranger to Dakota  
county people, where he has lived and  
neighbored with them for more than  
forty years; has been tried in all walks  
of life and has never been found lack-  
ing in truth, honesty and square deal-  
ing. The voters will take no chances  
by re-electing him to the office he has  
so capably filled for two years. While  
the office is not a high salaried one, it  
is one of the most important ones in  
the county and requires a man with a  
judgment to see the right side of things  
quickly in many instances.

D. C. Hoffmann writes us from Hub-  
bard that we have charged him with  
filing a petition with the county clerk  
to have his name placed on the official  
ballot for county judge. He denies the  
charge and requests us to state it  
in this issue of The Herald, which we  
gladly do. It was a crime to file his  
name for the honorable office of  
county judge, the party who committed  
the rash act should be given the limit  
of the law, which we hope the gentle-  
man from Hubbard will do when he  
takes his seat in the office for which  
he seeks. But all the same, his name  
was filed and the petition afterwards  
withdrawn, so what's the "diff." The  
democratic central committee filled  
the vacancy by appointment.

The Lincoln State Journal is certain-  
going after new business when it offers  
to send that big daily paper without  
Sunday from now until January 1,  
1910 for only 50 cents, or with Sunday  
for 75 cents. Almost every family in  
the state will want to take advantage  
of this big cut in price in order to com-  
pare The Journal with any other daily  
they know about. This is just what  
The Journal folks want and why it  
makes such a cheap price. Its pub-  
lishers feel that if a family gets The  
Journal habit on other paper will ever  
fill the bill after that. The Journal  
not only is a great newspaper in a  
strict news sense, but stands for many  
of the principles that are being fought  
for by Nebraska. It's in the forefront  
of the battle against the saloon and  
refuses to print liquor or pastry medi-  
cal advertising. Send in a half dollar  
and see what a lot you get for your  
money. They guarantee to stop the  
paper when the time is up.

### FOR GOOD ROADS

Good roads is a subject that is of  
interest all the year round and espe-  
cially in the fall, just before the cold  
weather sets in. The cry for good  
roads is having a desired effect in some  
parts of Dakota county, but some well  
traveled roads are not being improved  
nearly so fast as they should be. A  
few hints on the use of good roads  
may be of use to some of the Dakota  
county road overseers.

The drag should be used occasionally  
during the winter year. It will gradu-  
ally work the dirt toward the center  
of the road, making the road rounded,  
and will keep the surface smooth and  
free from ruts, allowing the water to  
drain off readily after the rains and  
the road to dry quickly. The drag does  
the best work when the ground is  
quite moist. The earth then moves  
freely along the faces of the ruts.  
Most of our clay soil will smear or  
puddle and become hard like ground  
plowed too wet when worked with this  
implement soon after each rain. Roads  
when this treatment has been carried  
on for several years have formed a  
crust over the surface so hard and im-  
penetrable to water that water seldom  
soaks through it even in continued  
rainy spells.

The cost of maintenance of earth  
roads by dragging amounts to only a  
trifle when compared with the benefits  
derived. The average cost per mile of  
road for the whole year will probably  
not be more than \$3 in Nebraska.

### Items of Interest

#### from our Exchanges

Pender Times: Rev Phillips was  
down from South Sioux City Tuesday  
night, a guest at the L D Rolph home.

Pender Republic: Miss Lue Hirsch  
visited with her sister, Dr Nina R  
Smith and family of Homer over Sun-  
day.

Exeter, Nebr. News: Mr and Mrs  
W E Sneathen of Dakota City, have  
been visiting here part of this week  
with the latter's parents, C N Phillips  
and wife.

Lyons Mirror: Miss Pearl Murphy,  
one of our popular school teachers, at-  
tended the funeral of her grandmother,  
Mrs Patrick O'Neill, in Dakota county  
last week.

Decatur Herald: J W Oibrey is one  
of those fellows who does things when  
he makes up his mind to it. Last week  
he went to South Dakota and in two  
days had purchased property in a brand  
new town and at once began the erec-  
tion of buildings.

Emerson Enterprise: Mrs J A Ire-  
land and Mrs O L McEaster spent  
Sunday in Hartington with Chas Ire-  
land. Sheriff J P Rockwell was in  
town Monday putting up election no-  
tices. Mr Rockwell has made a good  
official and is a candidate for re-elec-  
tion.

Ponca Leader: Miss Anna Sheibley  
was a Dakota City visitor last Friday.  
...The bureau of pensions has allow-

ed the original claim of Mrs Sarah M  
Way, of Waterbury, at the rate of \$12  
per month dating from March 12 1909,  
Congressman James P Latta has been  
instrumental in allowing the claim.



J. P. ROCKWELL,  
Republican Nominee for Re-election  
for Sheriff.

Winnebago Chief: Messames O  
S Lake and Marvin Armon were  
guests on Thursday at the home of  
Mrs T T Harris. ... Louis Rasmussen  
was a passenger to Sioux City on Sat-  
urday evening, stopping at Homer  
Monday noon. ... M S Mansfield is  
enjoying a chicken hunt and visit with  
his brother, Jesse, out in the sand hills  
country.

Walthill Times: Mrs Dr Ream visit-  
ed at Pender last week. ... The work of  
Rev J L Phillips as pastor at Homer,  
Walthill and South Sioux City was  
certainly successful. He not only made  
it possible for Walthill to have a  
fine new church, nearly finished,  
but made other things of importance  
come to pass. When he took the work  
last year the places named above, to-  
gether paid the pastors all told \$900;  
together they paid Rev Phillips last  
year \$1200, but at the last conference  
at Neligh they were separated and now  
Homer and Walthill agree to pay a  
pastor \$1000, while South Sioux City  
becomes a station and pays Rev Philip-  
ps \$1100 and house. So these  
charges, under Rev Phillips' adminis-  
tration have grown financially from  
\$900 to \$2100.

Sioux City Journal 18: A W Strauss,  
a telephone lineman, who was arrested  
recently at Homer, Neb, on a charge  
of assaulting a 14-year-old girl, has  
been given his liberty from the Dakota  
county jail, at Dakota City, the case  
against him having been dismissed.  
Strauss has returned to his home in  
Ohio. ... George Cummings, reputed  
desperate character and burglar, who  
escaped from the Dakota county jail  
at Dakota City, Neb, is still at  
large, and a reward of \$25 for his cap-  
ture has been offered by Sheriff Rock-  
well. It is now believed Cummings  
was the individual who shortly after  
the jailbreak came to Sioux City on a  
street car and feigned drunkenness to  
ward off suspicion against him. The  
sheriff believes Cummings went to the  
outskirts of the city immediately after  
his escape, across the state line and  
boarded a freight train to get away,  
rather than run the risk of capture by  
hiding in town. Cummings was await-  
ing trial in the district court on a  
charge of burglarizing a residence at  
Homer, Neb, of jewelry and clothing  
valued at about \$100. He was regard-  
ed as a trusty and escaped under cover  
of night when sent out in the jail yard  
for an armful of wood.

Omaha Daily Bee, 18th: George  
Ayres, 11 years old, walked across his  
bedroom to meet Dr L W Morrison,  
who had called to dress a wound the  
lad had received in a runaway accident  
Sunday morning. The boy, who had  
not appeared to be in a serious condi-  
tion, fell dead at the doctor's feet.  
Early Sunday morning George had  
started to accompany a schoolmate  
who carries a paper route. As they  
drove past the Her Grand hotel the  
horse started to run away and the ve-  
hicle struck a telephone pole. Both  
boys were thrown out. Ayres struck  
his head on the pavement. He was  
dazed, but able to be removed to his  
home and a physician called. Mean-  
while the injured boy, seemingly recov-  
ering, arose and went to his room.  
His unexpected death resulted from a  
cerebral hemorrhage following a fracture  
of the skull. The boy's father  
died some years ago and his mother re-  
married. She is now Mrs John Hirt,  
of South Omaha. The boy was adopt-  
ed by his grandmother, Mrs Hattie  
Ayres of Dakota City. The boy came  
to Omaha to go to school and while  
he lived with his aunt, Mrs Frank  
Kiley, 2225 Dodge street. M O Ayres,  
a banker of Dakota City, is an uncle.  
The body will be taken to Dakota City  
for burial.

Sioux City Journal, 17th: Mrs Rob-  
ert Black entertained the Five Hun-  
dred club on Monday with Mrs Abner  
of Rock Rapids, and Mrs Barnett,  
of Dakota City, as guests. The prizes  
were captured by Mrs Barnett and  
Mrs Walter Whitehead. The hostess  
was assisted in serving a dainty lunch-  
eon by Miss Helen Paul. ... Three  
negroes and two white men made two  
unsuccessful attempts at an early hour  
this morning to hold up D E Leedon,  
the tollkeeper at the combination  
bridge. They first approached him  
shortly after midnight, but seeing that  
he had two companions in the toll-  
house, separated, the white men going  
to South Sioux City and the negroes to  
Sioux City, after making numerous  
inquiries as to blind to turn the toll-  
keeper out of his house. All five re-  
turned later, and made direct for the  
tollhouse. In the meantime Leedon  
had notified the police and Patrolman  
Overmire was sent to the bridge.  
When the highwaymen saw the officer  
and a lantern swung by one of Lee-  
don's companions they took to their  
heels. The men evidently knew that  
the tollkeeper had considerable money  
in his possession. ... On Tuesday morn-  
ing at 8 o'clock occurred the wedding  
of Miss Mary E Hagan, daughter of  
Mr and Mrs P Hagan, and Mr Ma-  
jor R Allen, at the Epiphany Cathed-  
ral, Rev M T O'Brien performing the  
ceremony. The bride's dress was of  
white lingerie trimmed with Persian  
bands. She wore a long tulle veil and  
carried a bouquet of white roses. Her  
only ornament was a diamond brooch,  
the gift of the groom, Miss Barnadette  
Hagan, the bridesmaid, was attired in  
a dainty gown of pink silk mull. Mr  
William Doyle, of Pinekey, Mich,  
attended the groom. Fifty guests  
were invited to an elaborate wedding  
breakfast in the home of the bride's  
parents, 511 West Ninth street. The  
dining room was beautifully decorated  
in pink and white roses and ferns.  
Miss Nell Reid and Miss May O'Brien  
acted as party hostesses and Miss  
Nellie Heaney, of Nacora, Neb, and  
Miss Ella Heaney, of Hubbard, Neb,  
were in charge of the dining room.  
Mr and Mrs Allen left for Omaha  
Tuesday afternoon, and after a short  
trip will be at home at 2110 Rebecca  
street. About twenty-five out of town  
guests were here for the wedding.

When you want the best overseas  
for the money, go to Carl Anderson's  
County Superintendent Mary V  
Quinn was in Hubbard the first of the  
week.

Mr Morin of Waterbury has rented  
Mrs Tim Howard's farm.

Frank Davey was a business visitor  
in Hubbard Tuesday.

E Christensen was an east bound  
passenger Tuesday.

The Beacom boys had the misfortune  
to lose a number of cattle, we believe  
four. They had been going along the  
track, others getting broken legs.

Emil Andersen was taken seriously  
ill Tuesday.

Mrs Peter Lauritsen and mother  
were Sioux City shoppers Wednesday.  
Rev Father English went to Homer

Wednesday morning to perform the  
marriage ceremony for Kathleen  
O'Connor and Edward McManus.  
Underwear for winter wear, in all  
the best grades, at Carl Anderson's.  
Mrs Hale from Wallace, California,  
visited relatives and friends in Hub-  
bard and vicinity last week.  
Mrs J W Ryan and daughter, Mary,  
were over from Jackson Sunday visit-  
ing friends.  
Mrs Hogan, mother of Jas Hogan,  
was seriously ill the past week. Rev  
Father English and Dr Murphy, of  
Sioux City, were called out there Mon-  
day. Dr Murphy went again to see  
her Wednesday, not much hopes is  
promised for her recovery.

### JACKSON.

Mrs Mary Ryan, Mary Barry, Helen  
Kearney, Kathleen Brannan, Gladys  
Carroll and Martly Harty saw the Red  
Mill at the Grand Saturday.

J J McBride returned home from St  
Joseph's hospital Tuesday evening, re-  
covering from an operation.

Mike Mitchell is building a fine new  
barn on his farm.

J M Barry had a load of cattle on  
the market Thursday.

Frank Davey Jr, of Sioux City, re-  
turned to his home Sunday after a few  
days visit with relatives and friends  
here.

James Sutherland visited over Sun-  
day with his parents near Ponca.

Cards received from M Zulauf and  
Will Hickey this week state that  
they were taking in the sights at Old  
Mexico. They also saw President  
Taft and Diaz at El Paso.

Grandma Riley, who has been ill the  
past two weeks, remains about the  
same, being still confined to her bed.

The Dominican Sisters received a  
message Saturday of the death of the  
Reverend Mother Emily, at Sinsinawa,

NACORA.  
Chas Varis is on the sick list.

Frank Simmons purchased a fine  
new double-rig from Renza & Green at  
Hubbard, last Friday.

Mrs Frank Heaney and daughter,  
Gladys, of Emerson, spent Sunday at  
James Heaney's.

Miss Mary Hauser of Lyons, Iowa,  
arrived here last Saturday for several  
weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs Nick  
Simmons.

County Superintendent Miss Quinn,  
was a pleasant caller at the schools in  
this vicinity Monday.

James Heaney bought three ear loads  
of cattle and one of hogs at Hay  
Springs, Neb. They were shipped here  
last Monday.

Henry Thompson and wife were  
Sunday visitors at J Trampers.

August Voss is enjoying a visit from  
his sister of Minneapolis, Iowa.

Joe Heaney was a passenger to Sioux  
City Sunday afternoon.

Tom Wyant and wife spent Sunday  
with friends at Concord.

Mrs Simmons was an Emerson vis-  
itor Wednesday.

FIDDLER CREEK  
Mrs Louis Rockwell returned from  
her visit with her father at Palo Alto,  
Cal, last Thursday.

Grace Wilkins, who has been very  
sick at St Joseph's hospital, is much  
improved.

Chris Simenson, who has been visit-  
ing at the J N Miller home, left Tues-  
day for Lake View, Iowa.

N L Crippen and family were Sun-  
day visitors at the L Churchill home  
Monday.

Anna Jepson and Hans Larsen were  
Sioux City passengers last Friday.

Rasmus Nelson and wife were Sun-  
day visitors at the Chas Dodge home.

J W Bridenbaugh shelled 1000 bush-  
els of corn last week and shipped it to  
Sioux City.

SOUTH SIOUX CITY  
From the Record.

A new sixteen is being put in at the  
home of James Flynn.

Mrs Cora B. Miller is having her  
home repainted. Jess Ohmit is the  
artist.

L Valentine has resigned his place  
as night toll taker at the combination  
bridge.

John Jenkins moved his family this  
week to his new home on South Dako-  
ta street.

A new cement walk is being built  
on Frederick street leading down to the  
distillery.

Fred Gordon has started another new  
house just east of the Combination  
bridge approach.

E E Selmer was over from the city  
Tuesday making arrangements for im-  
provements at his farm west of town.  
Charles Ressegien returned Wednes-  
day from the Pacific coast where he  
had been making his home for some  
months last.

Mrs Rebecca Teter returned last  
week from an extended trip to Morris  
Ill, where she visited her sister, and  
at Waterloo.

John Shrove and his nephew, Joe  
Shrove, from Kewa Paha county, are  
here visiting Orville and W H Shrove  
this week.

Miss Loraine Murphy, a teacher in  
the primary department at Dakota  
City, visited Mrs D G Evans this  
week.

One of the pleasing events of the fall  
social season was given Wednesday  
evening when about 40 friends and  
neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. W. H.  
George called at their home and gave  
them a thorough surprise. The even-  
ing was spent in social chat and the  
guests had provided light refreshments.  
Mr. and Mrs. George were presented  
with a linen tablecloth, a dozen nap-  
kins and two glass dishes. All pres-  
ent enjoyed the occasion.

Charles Cooke and family, who have  
been living north of Sioux City, are  
now in home on the Dunning farm near  
the distillery. The house will be gone  
over and repaired, a new corn crib  
built and the buildings all painted.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Evans returned  
the first of the week from Lemmon,  
S. D., where they had been living with  
their son, Ward Evans, on his claim.  
The likes the country very well.  
J. J. Elmers returned Wednesday  
from his trip to Kewa Paha county.  
He made the journey overland from

Nelson Smith and wife are going to  
Omaha Sunday. Mr Smith as a federal  
juror and Mrs Smith to visit.

Rue Altman and wife came down  
from Dakota City Sunday to visit pa  
and Ma Alloway.

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Chas Holsworth home from Friday till  
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John Jesson, Henry and Charles  
Gurnsey, of Emerson precinct, were  
business callers in Homer Wednesday.

The Homer kid nine went to Wait-  
hill Saturday and scalped the kids of  
that place in a ball game, 20 to 2.

The Dorcas will give an entertain-  
ment and hallow'en supper Oct 30, in  
the M W A hall. Aprons will be on  
sale.

Mrs John McQuirk was a caller in  
Homer between trains Friday. Mr  
McQuirk came down from Canada and  
they will winter in Sioux City.

Wm E Polen and wife of Steuben-  
ville, O, are guests of their relatives,  
Jay McEntaffer and wife, Mr Polen  
is a passenger and ticket agent for the  
Pan Handle route at Steubenville.

Mrs Geo Peterson, who was a resi-  
dent of this county for a good many  
years, her home being the place now  
known as the Joe Smith farm, died at  
Clear Lake, Iowa, their present home.  
The remains were brought to Homer  
where the funeral was held in the  
Lutheran church Wednesday morning.  
Rev Hammond officiating. Interment  
was in Osaka Valley cemetery.

Married—Wednesday morning Oct  
26, 1909, at the Catholic church in  
this place Rev Father, English officiat-  
ing, Miss Kathleen O'Connor, only  
daughter of C J O'Connor, and Edward  
McManus, of Keokuk, Iowa. Miss  
Catharine Green, of Sioux City, a  
cousin of the bride, and Dr Robert  
Miller acted as attendants. Mr and  
Mrs McManus left at noon for Keo-  
kuk.

George Wilkins was on the sick list.

Wis. Sisters Theodosius and Ildefonso  
left Sunday to attend the funeral  
which was held there Monday. No  
school was held here Monday fore-  
noon.

George and Lydia Teller spent over  
Sunday in the home of their aunt, Mrs  
W W Heninger, near Hubbard, Nebr.

F B Morgan, who is manager for the  
E & B Co, moved his family here  
from Allen this week and will occupy  
the little cottage east of the lumber  
yard.

Andy Keefe, who is well known here, is  
very ill at St Joseph's hospital, Sioux  
City, no hopes being held out for his  
recovery.

Rita Jones came home from St  
Joseph's hospital Saturday recovering  
from an operation for appendicitis.

Anna Dillon, of Rock Valley, Iowa,  
is spending a few weeks vacation with  
her parents M J Dillon and wife.

Anna Goodfield spent last week  
with her cousin, Mrs J H Hogan, at  
South Sioux City, Nebr.

Mrs Ed T Kearney and baby, Ed-  
ward, and daughter, Helen and Ger-  
trude, expect to leave about October  
30th, for California to spend the winter  
with relatives.

Miss Genevieve Brady entertained a  
company of friends at her home the  
first of the week in compliment to Miss  
Margaret Barrett, of O'Neill, Nebr,  
who is a guest in her home. The even-  
ing was pleasantly spent with games,  
music, etc when later in the evening  
nice refreshments were served. The  
party included Nellie McGreevey,  
Mary Z Boler, Anna Goodfellow, Mary  
A Boler, Margaret Barrett, Ma Boler,  
Joseph Waters, M R Boler, E T Ken-  
nedy, John Hogan, Jas Heaney, Hub-  
bard, Nebr, F C Carpenter, Vista  
Nebr.

HOMER.  
Will Warner was in Homer Monday.  
Geo Wilkins was out home Sunday.  
Mrs John Welker is on the sick list.  
Dr Stinson of Dakota City was in  
Homer Wednesday.

Homer will have another butcher  
shop in the very near future.

Elsie Wilkins and mother were pas-  
sengers to Sioux City Monday evening.

Will and Claire Brown came home  
to attend their mother's funeral.

Mrs Wm Brown, of Salem, visited  
her son, Samuel, in Homer Thursday.

Mamie Clapp went to Omaha Sun-  
day to visit Mrs R J Jones. David ac-  
companied her.

Mrs Sam Deering went to Wakefield  
Thursday to visit her sister, Mrs  
Heikes.

Mrs Altman and her daughter,  
May, were guests of Aud Alloway and  
wife, Sunday.

Geo and John Harris went to Oak-  
and Monday and purchased a Poland  
China stock hog, and brought it home  
with them that night.

Mrs Tom Alloway and Mrs Audrey  
Alloway drove to Sioux City Wednes-  
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Anna Goodfield spent last week  
with her cousin, Mrs J H Hogan, at  
South Sioux City, Nebr.

Mrs Ed T Kearney and baby, Ed-  
ward, and daughter, Helen and Ger-  
trude, expect to leave about October  
30th, for California to spend the winter  
with relatives.

Miss Genevieve Brady entertained a  
company of friends at her home the  
first of the week in compliment to Miss  
Margaret Barrett, of O'Neill, Nebr,  
who is a guest in her home. The even-  
ing was pleasantly spent with games,  
music, etc when later in the evening  
nice refreshments were served. The  
party included Nellie McGreevey,  
Mary Z Boler, Anna Goodfellow, Mary  
A Boler, Margaret Barrett, Ma Boler,  
Joseph Waters, M R Boler, E T Ken-  
nedy, John Hogan, Jas Heaney, Hub-  
bard, Nebr, F C Carpenter, Vista  
Nebr.